

LAY CORNER-STONE FOR NEW SCHOOL

Interesting Exercises in Frederickburg Incident to Erection of Handsome Building.

MAYOR WALLACE MAKES TALK

Superintendent Willis Also Makes Talk—Mr. Jones's Appointment to Speak—Brief Items.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., September 15.—The corner-stone of the new public school building, now being erected here, to cost nearly \$100,000, was laid this afternoon at 4 o'clock with interesting ceremonies. Officials, school children and teachers, citizens and various orders assembled at the courthouse at 3 o'clock and a procession was formed, which marched to the school building in the following order: Judge John P. Goodrick and court officials; John H. Lewis Wallace, Mayor, with city officials; City School Board, Professor A. B. Browning, president, and school officers; white schools by grades in charge of teachers; Junior Order American Mechanics, Patriotic Order Sons of America, citizens and Masonic fraternity.

Hon. H. Lewis Wallace, Mayor of the city, delivered a brief and appropriate address, and presided over the exercises. The exercises included the singing of "America" by the school children; prayer by Rev. Dr. T. S. Dunn; reading of the Declaration of Independence by Rev. Dr. L. D. Doolittle, and laying the corner-stone by Frederickburg Lodge, No. 4, of Masons, Past Grand Master S. J. Quinn presiding; song by the school and benediction by Rev. W. L. Doolittle, Lieutenant A. G. Billingsley was marshal of the parade, with the following aids: Geo. D. Rowland, Allen Berry, C. E. Cox, C. L. Hart, and J. N. Humphreys.

Mr. Jones to Speak.
Hon. W. A. Jones, Democratic nominee for Congress in the First District, will address the voters of the district at the following places on the dates named: Matthews Courthouse, September 21st; Middlesex (Saluda), September 23rd; Accomac Courthouse, October 5th; York, October 6th; Caroline (Bowling Green), October 12th. Other appointments will be announced later.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne, of Richmond, delivered his famous lecture on "Air, Sunshine and Outdoor Living" at the Baptist Church here to-night before an audience which filled the building to its full capacity. The lecture was a literary treat, and the large audience enjoyed the flight of oratory of the distinguished speaker to the utmost. An offertory was taken, and a handsome sum was realized.

Brief Items of News.
An educational meeting will be held at Unionville, Orange county, Thursday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Hon. J. D. Biggston, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and C. G. Maples, one of the district examiners for the State.

Henry Olive, of Stafford county, who is a prominent farmer, has established a new record for clearing land of stumps. He used a traction engine with a log chain, and grubbed twelve acres of heavy stumps, some of which were three feet in diameter, in two days. The work was done on his farm, "Springfield."

In Stafford Circuit Court yesterday Clove Payne was convicted of housebreaking and sentenced to serve a term of ten years in the penitentiary.

Mr. J. W. Gregg, Republican candidate for Congress in the Eighth District, addressed the voters of Stafford county at Stafford Courthouse yesterday, it being court day. There was no Democratic speaking.

Councilman John C. Melville, who recently purchased the "Little" home-stand here, is leaving the property, and is now moving into the residence, which he will occupy as his home.

The dredging by the United States government of the Rappahannock River at this port will begin October 1st. It will be done on an extensive scale, and it will require nearly two years to complete it. Nearly \$100,000 will be expended in the work.

Illness of Mr. Bailey.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ROXBURY, Va., September 15.—Mr. D. A. Bailey, of Quantico, for many years clerk of the school board, is critically ill at his home with Bright's disease. Another appointment will

ULCERS FORMED ON BOTH ANKLES

As Big as Half Dollars—Followed Attack of Varicose Veins—Would Lie in Misery Almost All Night—Cried with the Terrible Pain.

HIS CURE RESULTED FROM USING CUTICURA

"I had varicose veins and was in the hospital three weeks. After I was discharged the ulcers broke out on my ankles. I got some of the ointment which they had given me but it did not do me one bit of good. They kept getting worse instead of better and really could not manage to get along. I had places broken out as big as a half dollar and I used to lie in misery almost all night long and would cry with the pain, which was something terrible. When I got up I would have to sit in two chairs in order to rest my ankles. My sister advised me to try the Cuticura Remedies. I washed my ankles with hot water and Cuticura soap and applied the Cuticura Ointment and I had instant relief the first time I used them. Now I am very glad to say that my ulcers are all healed up and I can walk as well as anybody. Robt. E. L. Oliver, 3438 Cedar Ave., Hampden, Baltimore, Md., Jan. 11 and 18, 1908."

WIND RASHES And Irritations of the Skin Soothed by Cuticura

Warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle applications of Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, will soothe the skin, and point to a speedy cure of the rashes, itching, irritations, inflammations, chafings, lameness and soreness incidental to outdoor exercise. For preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair and hands, for sanative antiseptic cleansing, for baby rashes, itching and chafings, as well as for eczema, humors, pimples, blackheads and other torturing, disfiguring affections of the skin, Cuticura Soap and Ointment are priceless.

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have to be made on the school board to fill the vacancy caused by his resignation, owing to his continued ill health.

TO "PEN" FOR ABDUCTION

I. D. Jordan, Betrayer of Little Catherine Ingram, Gets Three Years.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DANVILLE, Va., September 15.—A motion for a new trial was overruled in the Corporation Court to-day in the case of Ira D. Jordan, a young white man, under conviction for the abduction of Catherine Ingram, aged fifteen years, the daughter of J. W. Ingram, of this city. Jordan is a married man, and has two children. It is alleged he enticed the girl away from her home to Richmond, where the girl was found in a questionable case. He was arrested. Jordan's case will be carried over to the Supreme Court. He was sentenced to-day to three years in the penitentiary.

RED MEN IN BIG PARADE

Great Festivities Mark Second Day of "Homecoming" Week.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINCHESTER, Va., September 15.—A monster parade to-night of Red Men, in full costume, every branch of the Winchester Fire Department, bands and a drum corps, together with trade displays, was the main feature of the second day of the Shawnee Tribe of Red Men's "homecoming" celebration. All the day the city was gorgeously decorated and drawn by horses. The route of the procession from the City Hall through the principal streets to the Fair Grounds was lined with people, and all buildings were brilliantly illuminated by electricity. The pyrotechnic displays were the finest ever seen here.

A tournament, in which many knights from the Valley of Virginia and Cummer Valley participated, was held at the Fair Grounds this afternoon, and to-day's festivities were concluded with a ball and carnival to-night at the Rouse engine house.

MANY EDUCATORS AT GLOUCESTER

Rally in New High School Building Is Attended by Governor Swanson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

GLOUCESTER COURTHOUSE, Va., September 15.—The auditorium of the new Botetourt High School, at Gloucester Courthouse, was thrown open to-day for an educational rally and was thronged by an enthusiastic audience, which gathered to listen to the speeches of distinguished orators on the subject of "Education."

The Rev. R. A. Polke, county superintendent of education, presided, and Rev. William E. Wyatt opened with prayer, after which the Hon. John H. Saunders, of Middlesex, introduced Claude A. Swanson, Governor of Virginia.

Governor Swanson made a most notable address. It was a revelation to the citizens of Gloucester how by leaps and bounds the cause of education is growing in Virginia. The Governor's speech was applauded to the echo.

After an old-fashioned Gloucester dinner, served in the basement of the school, the audience reassembled in the auditorium, where the Hon. J. N. Stubbs introduced his old preceptor, Professor Alexander Hogg, formerly of Gloucester, now of Texas, who made a practical address. Mr. Hogg taught in Virginia prior to, during and after the war.

Mr. Hogg proved by statistics that Virginia is a leading State in the educational world. The meeting was closed with prayer by the Rev. William B. Lee.

After the meeting the Governor and his family were entertained at a dinner at the Grand Masonic Lodge of Virginia within a short time.

AFTER DESPERATE MEN.

Clarke Officers Want One Negro for Stabbing, Another for Assault.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WINCHESTER, Va., September 15.—The authorities of Clarke county are pursuing a negro named Joseph Jackson, who last evening stabbed his employer, Maurice E. Taylor, of Castleman's Ferry, with a knife inflicting a serious wound in the shoulder. Jackson had been reprimanded for failing to do his duties on the farm, and drawing a long knife from his pocket he made a lunge at Mr. Castleman, stabbing him, and then making his escape. Clarke county authorities are also after Henry Taylor, a colored youth, charged with criminally assaulting Lucy Alexander, a colored girl, of near Wickliffe. He is alleged to have been taken here, dragged her into the woods and committed the assault. Sheriff Levi and all his deputies are looking for both negro men.

USED RAILWAY PASSES.

Two Defendants Heavily Fined by Court at Lynchburg.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, Va., September 15.—The first term of the Federal District Court convened here this morning, with Judge Henry Clay McDowell presiding. The grand jury was empaneled, and returned a number of indictments, but these, under direction of the court, were not given out for publication.

W. H. Phillips, of Mt. Airy, N. C., who was jointly indicted with a number of other men of Patrick county

Petersburg News

Times-Dispatch Bureau, 103 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg, Va., September 15.

Gentlemen who have recently traveled through the past few days of Virginia and North Carolina represent that the crop has been very materially damaged by the late heavy and continued rains, and that the yield will fall below previous expectations. A large area has been planted this year, and the season had been propitious up to time of the rains, and the outlook was favorable to one of the largest crops in many years.

Robbed on the Highway.

Horace H. Harrison, a well-known colored man and undertaker of this city, was robbed this morning on the outskirts of the town while walking along the railroad track from Prince George county. He was overtaken by a negro, who after getting in conversation with him, offered him a drink from a bottle. The treat was accepted and the two continued together in good fellowship for some distance, when the stranger, saying he could go no further, asked the time of day. Harrison pulled out his gold watch, and as he held it in his hand the negro grabbed it and ran. Harrison reported the robbery to the police here, and immediate steps were taken to capture the man.

Detectives Heelan and Eanes drove down as far as Wells's Crossing to head him off, while friends of Harrison, one of them armed with a shotgun, followed on his trail. The fugitive, caught up with the fellow a short distance from the scene of the robbery, brought him to a halt at the point of the gun, and held him until the detectives arrived and took charge of him. The negro gave his name as Tom White, but refuses to talk or tell where he is from. He threatened to get even with the friend of Harrison who had the gun, declaring that he might be sent to the penitentiary, but if he lived long enough to get out he would kill him. White's crime adds another to the long list of felony cases to be tried at the approaching term of the Hustings Court.

A civil service examination for the position of clerk (male and female) will be held at the post-office in this city on November 15th.

Among the smaller losses of the Atlantic Coast Line Company by the recent flood was about \$300 worth of brasses, stored in a small house near the Union Station, which was washed away.

A special meeting of the Petersburg branch of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was held last night, at which there was a full attendance. The matter of greatest importance discussed was that of the revision of the improvement of the work of the order.

A thief broke into the store of H. R. Baird, on Market Street, last night, entering through a rear window. He was evidently in search of money, of which he got none.

The series of games scheduled for this week between the Petersburgs and Washington Athletics have been canceled. The fine Winchester team will be here on Thursday to play three games.

Seventy-three different mails are handled at the Petersburg Post-Office each day—some going out and some coming in. The officials find it a difficult matter with the limited room at their command to handle all this matter without confusion.

The new addition to the union pas-

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Pimples, Rash, Eruptions, Etc., Quickly Eradicated by New Skin Remedy.

Since its discovery one year ago, posam, the new skin remedy, has in its extraordinary accomplishments, exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the eminent specialist who gave it to the world. It has cured thousands of cases of eczema and eradicated facial and other disfigurements of years standing. The terrible itching attending eczema is stopped with the first application, giving proof of its curative properties in the very outset.

In these serious skin affections, such as pimples, rash, herpes, blackheads, acne, barber's itch, etc., results show after an overnight application, only a small quantity being required to effect a cure. A muddy or sallow complexion is noticeably improved by a single application. Those who use posam for these minor skin troubles can now avail themselves of the special 50-cent package, recently adopted to meet such needs. Both the 50-cent package and the regular \$2 jar may now be obtained in Richmond, at Dr. J. C. Traggie's and other leading drug stores.

Samples for experimental purposes may be had free of charge by writing direct to the Emergence Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth Street, New York City.

for illicit distilling and defrauding the government, pleaded guilty, and was fined \$200 and sentenced to sixteen months in prison.

Moran, of Floyd county, pleaded guilty to removing and concealing spirits, and was fined \$200 and given three months in jail.

Melvin Turner, of Buchanan county, retaining liquor without a license, \$100 and thirty days.

J. H. Crabbill and E. M. Crabbill, of Roanoke, violating the Hepburn railroad law, pleaded guilty, and were fined \$200 and \$100 respectively.

J. W. Minnix, of Wise county, retaining liquor without a license, \$100 and thirty days in jail.

The case of M. C. James and J. D. Sigma, of Franklin county, charged with illicit distilling, is on trial, and will be completed to-morrow.

REV. MR. CHRISTIAN TO BE INSTALLED AS PASTOR

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SCOTTSVILLE, Va., September 15.—The Rev. Allen Christian, of Richmond, will be installed as pastor of the Presbyterian Church here on the second Sunday in October. The Rev. Mr. Moore, of the seminary, Richmond, will deliver the installation sermon. The Rev. Mr. Hudson, of Gordonsville, will charge the church, and the Rev. Mr. Painter, of Lynchburg, will charge the pastor. The Rev. Mr. Hudson will conduct a meeting from October 7th to the 11th, inclusive. There will be a meeting of the presbytery on the evening of the 10th.

SCOTTSVILLE SCHOOL OPENS WITH LARGE ATTENDANCE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SCOTTSVILLE, Va., September 15.—The Scottsville High School opened yesterday morning with 120 pupils and many parents and friends present. Dr. J. P. Blair, chairman of the district board; Professor W. D. Smith, principal of the High School; the Rev. A. R. W. P. Londerer, of this place, all made interesting addresses. The outlook was never more encouraging for a prosperous session.

A new gate at the end of the driveway is one of the recent improvements about the grounds.

SENGER STATION WILL BE READY FOR THE TRAVELING PUBLIC BY THURSDAY EVENING OR FRIDAY MORNING.

The building will be ready for the traveling public by Thursday evening or Friday morning. The building will have separate accommodations for the races; will be neatly painted and will afford great relief for the inconvenience of present arrangements.

Mr. Edwin L. Quarles, secretary of the Petersburg Chamber of Commerce, left to-day for Ashland, where he has accepted an invitation to address the Business Men's Association at a banquet given to-night.

Stonewall Aerie of Eagles, of Manchester, came over in large force to-night to pay a fraternal call on Petersburg Aerie. The visitors were received with warm hearts and generous hospitality, and did not leave for home until a late hour. Addresses of welcome and response were made, and numerous fraternal kisses followed in the hall room and at the banquet table.

Mr. Arthur Hooks, a well-known young druggist of this city, left this morning for Richmond to matriculate at the Medical College of Virginia, of which he is a graduate in pharmacy.

Ex-Senator William B. McIlwaine will deliver an address next Sunday afternoon before the Methodist Sunday School Association at the city.

A lamp explosion in the kitchen of a residence on High Street about 10 o'clock last night caused the fire department to be called out. Very little damage was done.

William Wells and Miss Ella Nunnally, both of this city, were married in Halifax, N. C., yesterday, and returned immediately to Petersburg.

THE WAY OUT

From Weakness to Power by Food Route.

Getting the right start for the day's work often means the difference between doing things in wholesome comfort, or dragging along half dead all day.

There's more in the use of proper food than many people ever dream of—more's the pity.

"Three years ago I began working in a general store," writes a man, "and between frequent deliveries and more frequent customers I was kept on my feet from morning till night.

"Indigestion had troubled me for some time, and, in fact, my slight breakfast was taken more from habit than from necessity. Inadequate diet was not noticed much, but at work it made me weak and hungry long before noon.

"Yet a breakfast of rolls, fried foods and coffee meant headache, nausea and general discomfort. Either way I was losing weight and strength, when one day a friend suggested that I try a 'Grape-Nuts' breakfast."

"So I began with some stewed fruit, Grape-Nuts and cranberry sauce, boiled eggs, toast, and a cup of Postum. By noon I was hungry, but with a healthy, normal appetite. The weak, languid feeling was not there.

"My head was clearer, nerves steadier, for months. To-day my stomach is strong, my appetite normal, my body power splendid and head always clear."

"Name is a Reason." "Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich., Read The Road to Well-being, in pkgs."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

GLENN WILL HELP CHURCH GET FUND

Carolina Governor, at End of Term, to Enter Service of Presbyterians.

LIKES LAW, BUT IS BIT RUSTY

Many Tributes Paid to Late Agricultural Commissioner of North State.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., September 15.—The announcement made by Governor R. B. Glenn in connection with his visit to the Bristol, Va., Chautauqua, that he will, on his retirement from the governorship of North Carolina, take up work in connection with the Southern Presbyterian Board of Missions raising funds for the layman's movement for the evangelization of this country, comes as no surprise to his friends here. He had been for some time hesitating between the acceptance of this offer, propositions to go on the lyceum lecture platform and returning to his law practice.

The Governor said that while he is fond of the law, four years' separation from practice would make it necessary for him to start all over again, and it would be difficult for him to renew his old professional connections and co-partnership in his home town. He has always been very much of a lay evangelist, especially in the way of making M. C. A. and other religious addresses. It will be no surprise here if Governor Glenn ultimately goes regularly into the Presbyterian ministry.

The Canine Still Free.

The city authorities of Raleigh are still "in the woods" so far as any definite steps are concerned to relieve Raleigh of the alleged "dog nuisance" which threatens. An ordinance was passed some days ago requiring that all dogs be muzzled or leashed, but it developed at an adjourned meeting just held that a necessary two-thirds majority vote had not been had, the Aldermen thereafter defeating the ordinance by a vote of 3 to 4.

The eight persons taking the Pasteur treatment for the bites inflicted by the rabid dog at large here last week are all reported by Dr. Shore, director in charge of the State Laboratory, to be getting along very satisfactorily.

Tributes to Patterson.

While the funeral of the late Samuel L. Patterson, Commissioner of Agriculture, was in progress at the Patterson home, Caldwell county, this afternoon, there was held at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts, participated in by the faculty and students and prominent citizens of the city, a memorial service, high tribute being paid to the deceased by President D. H. Hill, Dr. R. H. Lewis, Hon. R. H. Battle, of Raleigh, and Professors W. A. Withers and F. L. Stevens, of the college faculty.

President Hill declared that three of the finest buildings of the college—Vatanga and Pullen Halls and the Agricultural Building—should be memorials to Mr. Patterson, who was, as Commissioner of Agriculture, and chairman of the board of trustees, especially instrumental in providing and equipping them.

Suitable resolutions were adopted, the students paying tribute to his qualities as a man and as a State official.

Rowland Enters Suit.

Dr. D. S. Rowland, who was tried for his life on the charge of poisoning Engineer Strange here, and poisoning his eight-year-old son in Vance county about one year ago, instituted to-day suit against the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Walter L. Watson, who was leading counsel for Rowland in the murder trials, being his attorney in this suit.

Complaint has not yet been filed, but it is understood that the suit is for the recovery of insurance on the life of the son he was accused of poisoning. Dr. Rowland, who married the widow of Engineer Strange within a few weeks after the latter's death, still maintains offices at a residence on Main Street, and is a co-defendant in the prosecution for the poisoning of Strange.

MUCH ROUTINE BUSINESS.

Lynchburg Corporation Court Disposes of Civil Matters.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 15.—The following business was transacted in the Corporation Court to-day and yesterday afternoon:

The proof of the will of Mrs. Mary C. Meeks completed, and R. H. Meeks qualified as executor of the estate. The bond required was \$400.

Elmer E. Barnard was appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of his father, James S. Barnard, giving the required bond in penalty of \$3,000.

Peyton L. Morgan was appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Frank M. Morgan.

D. J. Bruce appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary E. Miller.

William A. Alexander was appointed guardian for Morris A. Alexander, an infant under fourteen years of age.

R. H. You were appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Robert H. Hill.

Cleveland Tucker, who is charged with wife desertion, was admitted to bail in penalty of \$500 for his appearance for trial at the October term.

Rules were issued against Simon Walker and Francis Ranson, witnesses, to show cause why they should not be fined for failing to appear at September 15th.

The application of Kate Wade, Richard J. Williams and W. H. Frye, for State pensions, were ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

SOUTHERN MEN IN CHARGE OF VIRGINIA AND SOUTHWESTERN

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BRISTOL, TENN., September 15.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Virginia and Southwestern Railway was held here to-day, with Vice-President Fairfax Harrison and other officials of the Southern Railway in attendance. The election of a board of directors resulted in the selection exclusively of stockholders of the Southern Railway, headed by President Finley, which leaves no doubt that the Southern is in absolute control of this important coal road.

Assignment in Roanoke.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ROANOKE, Va., September 15.—Mr. A. Leffer, a Market Square merchant, made an assignment to-day. His liabilities are about \$2,000. Nearly all the debtors are Roanoke concerns.

GOES TO POTTER'S FIELD.

Body of S. C. Hurt Is Not Taken by His Relatives.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 15.—An investigation has developed that



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Beware of Imitations



the first impression of the police Sunday afternoon that the aged man found dead about the tunnel on the Norfolk and Western Railway Sunday afternoon was Samuel O. Hurt, a man about sixty years of age, and a resident of Bedford county, was correct. Relatives of the deceased were communicated with, and it was stated this morning that they refused to have anything to do with the body, a condition

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